

REMARKS

Please reconsider the application in view of the above amendments and the following remarks. Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that claims 4 and 5 are allowed.

Disposition of Claims

Claims 1-5 are pending in this application. Claims 1 and 4 are independent. The remaining claims depend from claims 1 and 4.

Claim Amendments

Claim 1 has been amended to clarify the present invention recited. No new matter has been added by way of this amendment as support may be found, for example, in the first full paragraph on page 11 of the specification as filed.

Objection

The title of the invention was objected to as being not descriptive. The title has been amended in this reply. Accordingly, withdrawal of this objection is respectfully requested.

Rejection under 35 U.S.C § 112

Claims 1-3 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112 as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctively claim the subject matter which application regards as the invention. In particular, the Examiner stated that the use of the term “great” in independent claim 1 rendered this claim, and dependent claims 2 and 3 which depend therefrom, indefinite. To the extent that this rejection may apply to the amended claims, it is respectfully traversed.

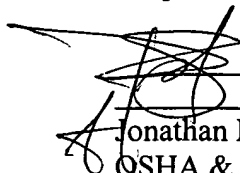
Claim 1, as amended, now recites a display signal having *at least a 50 percent* area ratio of higher brightness portion. Applicant believes that this amendment sufficiently clarifies the area that is referenced in this claim, and in dependent claims 2 and 3. Accordingly, withdrawal of this rejection is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

Applicant believes this reply is fully responsive to all outstanding issues and places this application in condition for allowance. If this belief is incorrect, or other issues arise, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned or his associates at the telephone number listed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account 50-0591 (Reference Number 04995.037001).

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